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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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State of Illino's, County of Alexander, ss.

1, C. N. Hughes, cashier of the First National
Bank of Carre, do solemnly swear that the above
statement is true to the best of my knowledge
and belief.

C. N. HUGHES, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 25d Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 25 day of December, 1871.
CHAS. CUNNINGHAM, Notary Public.
Correct Attest:
Robt.W. Miller,
J. T. Rennie,
D. Hurd.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE CITY NATIONAL BANK

OF CAIRO,

At Cairo, in the state of Illinois, at the close business. December 16, 1871, RESOURCES

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State of Illinois, Alexander county, ss.:

I. W. Hyslop, assistant cashier of the City National Bank of Cairo, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. HYSLOP, Asst. Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 224 day of December, 1871.

H. H. CANDEE, Nodary Pathie. H, H. CANDEE, Notary Public.

Correct attest :

W. P. Halliday,
R. H. Cunningham,
G. D. Williamson,

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. First National Bank of Cairo, December 26, 1871.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at ut banking house in Cairo, on the second Tuesday of January, 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. dec27td.



HEIM-HELFRICK -On Christmas evening t the residence of Mr. Freet, Theobaid, by b fross, Mr. Gus. Heim to Miss Anna Helfrick oth of this city.

To the newly-wedded couple we tender our congratulations, and wish them a l ng life o happiness and prosperity.

BEEBE.—HOLMES.—At the St. Charles hotel on Tuesday, December 26, 1871, by the Rev. Ed-win Coan, Mr. William Beebe to Miss Mollie Holmes, both of Alexander county. May they live long and prosper. '

THE BULLETIN.

Published every morning, Monday ex-

MISCELLANEOUS.

-Last night of the Gilberts -Remember this is the last night of the Gilbert troupe in this city. Go.

-- R. V. Pierce, M. D., of Buffalo, N. Y. will send his little book on Chronic diseases free to any address. 4&wlt. 593. -- Christmas was a day productive of an unusual number of "plain drunks,"

Otherwise it passed off very quietly. -The adjourned term of the Alexander county probate court convened yesterday. The term is likely to "stretch out "rs

there is a large amount of tangled business to be untangled. -The county court has removed Mr. Smily from the overseership of the poor farm and placed Dr. Gibbs in his stead.

The doctor is said to be the right man in the right place. -A ring containing three keys was picked up on Seventh street on Sunday last. The owner can have them by calling at this office, describing property

and paying charges. d. 1t. -The Gilbert Sisters dramatic troupe will to-night appear for the last time in this city. To-night they propose to give an entertainment, the proceeds to be donated to the Odd-Fellow's lodge of this city. Let there be a full house.

-Mrs. M. J. White, late of the Southern hotel, is re-opening the Commercial hotel, on Commercial avenue, near the corner of sixth street. Mrs. White has had Jonesbore; T. F. Walker, and lady, much experience in hotel business, and Moud City; Geo. A. Slockton and Indy will be sure to command a liberal share | Mound City; A. R. Phillips, New Madrid; of the public patronage.

Mr. Jack Winter a supply of the finest, A. J. Carroll, Evansville ; J. Freshett and largest and best flavored oysters we have lady, Pulaski; J. A. Simmons, Memphis; eaten this season. Mr. Winter is daily in H. T. Ashton, river; H. Houpt and family, receipt of oysters of the same brand, and if any one wishes to make sure of a can of fery and wife. Louisville; A. C. Stevens, good oysters, let them go to the Old Del- Milwaukee; Shepard Ruckman, St. Louis;

-The ladies of the Presb terian shurch Yost, Mt. Vernon.

have concluded to postpone their usual Thursday night scelable, so that the Young Men's Christian Association may have the use of the house for Mr. Stoughton's lecture. Therefore there will be no sociable held this week. Due notice will be given of the time and place of the next meeting.

Go to the Theater To-Night. "The Hidden Hand." Last appearance in Cairo of the

Gilbert Sisters. -Our police magistrates did a rushing business yesterday. Sheehan, Martin, Billingsly, Mehner, Robertson and the rest of the force, had between them, some thirty persons under arrest and in the calaboose. Nearly all the arrests made were for fighting, or drunk and disorderly conduct.

-The third ball of the season under the auspices of the Terpsichorean club came off at the St. Charles hotel on last Friday evening, and was a most enjoyable affair. The company present was composed of the most select and accomplished young ladies and gentlemen of Cairo and vicinity. Everybody enjoyed themselves, and the only expressions of regret uttered was when it come time to break up and go

-The scholars of the German school net at their school house on Christmas evening, and enjoyed an evening of real pleasure and recreation. A beautiful Christmas tree, sparkling with jets and bright colors, and its branches laden with trinkets intended as presents for the little ones, had been prepared by the parents and teachers of the school. The exercises consisted of recitations, declamations, singing, etc., in which the scholars gave ample proof that the efforts of their teachers in their behalf had not been fruitless.

-The ball for the benefit of the German school, which came off at Scheel's hall last night, was well attended and was an occasion long to be remembered by those who participated in it. Dancing commenced at an early hour in the evening, and until 111 o'clock was kept up without intermission. At that hour the tuous supper, prepared by Mr. John Scheel. Supper over, dancing was resumed and did not stop until daylight broke upon the scene, and warned all that it was time to disperse.

30,000 00 - 54,078 64 -On Sunday night Marshal Cain was informed that a fight had occured some that one of the parties engaged in it was and in an almost helpless condition from wounds received in the fracus. When the marshal found him he was covered with blood, and upon examination it was ascertained that he had been stabbed four times in the back, two of the cuts being of the door opened than half a dozen negroes | full house. pounced upon him, and it was one of them that stabbed him. He seems to be unable to tell just where it was done, and is unable to describe the darkey that did it.

PERSONAL LOCALS.

-Mr. Alden, of the firm of Thomas & Alden, has just returned from a four weeks, trip south.

-Mr. John J. McGinness, city editor of Williamsport, Pa., Gazette and Bulletin, and Mr. T. H. Whipple, of the Jackson, (Miss.,) Pilot, called upon us a day or two since.

-J. P. Dunlevy, Str. Esperanza; S. A. Toms, Str. Mohawk ; G. N. Orton, Chicago: Jas. Henderson and wife, Cincinnati. O.; Jas. Coreau, Miss Mary, Tiptonville, Tenn.; J. A. Simmons, Memphis, Tenn.; Henry Brady, Tiptonville, Tenn.; W. A. Beebe, Oakland, Ont.; F B. Vallete, St. Louis, Mo.; Miss Mollie Holmes, Unity, Ill.; Miss. S. Ef Brown, Theber, Ill. ; E. B. Chester, Mound City, Illinois, Jno. A. Hauser and wife, St. Louis; Jus Morris, Cape Girardeau : N. S. Pennington, Evansville; I. S. Verbsych, Shreve Port; E. C. Prince St. Louis; A. W. Robins, Madison; J. W. Hall, Paducah; L A. Sabot, Valpariso; S. M. Parcell, Padu. cah ; James Claus, Centralia ; W. B. Owen, E. M. Dudley, Chicago; Geo. N. Hered, Marion county, Ill.; J. W. Broomfield, St. Louis; Chas. J. Weeden wife and sister, Chicago.

-The following were the arrivals at the Delmonico hotel, Wm. Winter, proprietor, since last report to 9 o'clock, p. m. :-John F. Meginnis, W. M. Dietrick, Williamsport, Pa.; T. J. Pressley, Pulaski Co.; E. V. Hathawrep, Princeton : G. W. Patrick, Mt. Carmel, Ill.; Mrs. Dobbs. Goose Island; J. G. Browne, Wm. Stricker, Piver : Geo. Clark, Louisville ; W. L. Marsh, Centralia, Ill.; A. F. Protem Jackson, Tenn.; I. J. Abrahanson, Little Rock; W. R. Neal, City; Louis Beckwith Wolf Island; J. B. Nunneley and wife Middletown, O.; J. B. Morehead, St. Louis; Thos. R. B. Goslie, River; M. John Ward, St. Louis; J. W. R. Herford, Lynchburg : Joseph Tincker, Fvansville H. C. Wilkes, New Madrid ; J. S. Davenport and family, Little Rock; B. A. Hoffman, John Gillin, Str. John Kyle : Geo A. Babbitt, Chicago; M. Herzog, R. H. L. Jaques, Frank Bule, St. Louis, Mo.; Jack Williams, Paducah; B. Ferneding, Mound City; A. R. Phillips, New Madrid; time. Barry Branwick, St. Louis; A. Meesenheimer, Dongola; S. S. Hite Ballard Co. ; Co. J. G. Harris, River S. H. Watson, New Orleans; Jno. H Sorntag, Evansville; Geo. W. Barringer, Thad Sederberg, river; F. M. Williams, -On Christmas day we received from Jonesboro; C. M. Ferrell, Elizabethtown

city; Jno. Rounton, Baltimore; J. H. Caf-

A. G. Andeson, Str. Kate Kinney; E. A.

LECTURE.

REV. J. C. STOUGHTON Will deliver his lecture entitted

" PARTY POLITICS. in this city on Thursday evening at 74 o'clock. Place is to be announced in next issue of this paper.

Read the following testimonals: "The lecture at the opera house proved Mr. Stoughton to be a man of great intellect, and a thorough master of the subject under discussion, and the reputation he he has was fully sustained by his lecture, Aside from the important subject of the lecture, it is a literary treat to hear Mr.

Stoughton, "He commenced by at once grasping vigorously the mentality of the audience Establishing his position with certainty, he poured in a running fire of musketry with remarkable precision, every shot telling .- Following this skillful fire with rapid advance, every available point well taken, he opened as by a coup detat with a sweeping volley of heavy artillery, and completed a powerful intellectual victory and unanimous applause. * * * *

True premises, unmistakable argument, and the highest logical sequences. * * "A fine voice, graceful figure, trained gesticulation and excelleent elocuiionary power.

Tickets at W. B. Rockwell & Co.'s and H. A. Hannon's and H. C. Loffin's. LECTURE COMMITTEE, Y. M. C. A.

> The "Hidden Hand. Last Appearance of the Gilberts, To-Night.

GILBERT'S BENEFIT.

On no occasion since the appearance of the Gilbert Sister's dramatic trou e in this city has the Atheneum been so full as it was on Christmas night-the occasion of Mr. John V. Gilbert's benefit. Every seat in the house was occupied, and yet the city fail. Dismissed. many were compelled to stand.

The play, the "Octoroon," was rendered in a most satisfactory manner, and won the gay company sat down to a most sump- applause of every one in that large and appreciative audience.

In the character of "Zoe the Octuroon, Katie Gilbert, won the praise of every one Mrs. Jennie Grayson and Mrs. Fox were applauded by all. Jas Gilbert, as the Inventor, and "buster up" of the Terre. bonne concern is inimitable, while Mark where in the upper part of the city, and Grayson, as McClosky, has no superior, Simcoe Lee did the "big Ingin" in fine then at the I. C. round house, bleeding style, as did also Ish Auderson

the character of old " Pete," the nigger. Last night, the company gave a repre duction of the play entitled the "Ticket of Leave Man." As on the occasion of

the first production it was well played. To-night, benefit of the Odd-Fellows a severe and dangerous character. When lodge, and last appearance of the company asked where and by whom he was cut, he in this city, the popular dramatization of said that he was on his way home, but being Mrs, Southworth's story of "The Hidden a stranger, had lost his route and stopped Hand," will be performed. As this is at a negro house, outside the levee, to in- the last night the company will play in quire which way to go. No sooner was this city, it is hoped there will be a

The "Hidden Hand" To-Night At the Atheneum. Go.

AUCTION SALE!

I will sell on Thursday, Dec 28th, 1871, at Cairo, Illinois, for the benefit of whom it may concern, the machinery saved from the wreck of the str. Virginia as follows

4 boilers, 1 steam drum, 1 nigger and engine, 2 cylinders. 4 slides, 2 pitmans, Lot hog chains, T heads, Camrods and brasses, complete, 2 shafes, flanges and cranks, Doctor and heaters, 1 nigger engine, 2 copper steam pipes, cargo wheels,

2 iron " " 1 anchor 850 lbs., Lot chimney guys, 1 whistle, Lot escape pipes, engine bells, 2 pillow blocks and caps. 250 feet 4 inch chain,

1 Pilot wheel. D. HARTMAN, Auctioneer.

COMMENDABLE.

In view of the many complaints against the conduct of insurance companies lately, whether founded or unfounded, the underigned take pleasure in bearing witness to the fair adjustment and prompt payment, in cash, of our claims against the ANDES and Amazon insurance companies of Cinsinnati for building and merchandise and dwelling and furniture insured by those companies and destroyed by fire a few days since. The money comes to us on this day, as it were, like a Christmas gift. B. S. HARRELL. MRS. JOHN SULLIVAN.

Cairo, December 25th, 1871. C. N. Hughes, Agent above named ompanies, at Cairo.

MISS DR. SAFFORD'S LECTURE. It has been definitely settled that Miss Dr. Safford's lecture will be delivered in the Atheneum on Saturday evening next December 30th. To urge the lecture go ing people of the city to turn out on this eccasion would be folly, for not only that class who attend lectures, no matter by whom delivered, but nearly every person n the city who know anything of Miss Safford's career, will be at the Atheneum on Saturday evening. Scenre seats in

Plano Tuning .- Parties wishing their pianos tuned will please address C. Robbins at postoffice, or leave word with his brother. Price \$3,00 or \$5,00 a year, including at least two 'unings and ordinary repairing, strings, &c.

BRICK STOP FOR REST .- The brick store, No. 78)hio Levee, now occupied by F. M. Steckfleth, Esq., is offered for rent, and will be vacant on the 18th inst JNO. B. PHILLIS. AVERT THE EVIL .- If mothers would

-We have no hesitation in recommend-

CHRISTMAS SINS. His honor, Squire Shannessy, had his hands full yesterday 'passing' judgment work is done in a masterly manner at the on the poor devils who got drank during Christmas day and night and were "taken in" by the police. Up to noon the old justice had consigned nine to the city jail, Give him a call at his shop on Twentieth and allowed as many more to go asquit upon payment of fines imposed.

-Frank Marshal-vagrancy, eighteen -Charlie Green-drunk and disorderly,

Thirteen days in calaboose. -Jack Robinson, for fighting was fined five dollars and costs. Sent over to Me-

Hale's for thirteen days. -Mollie Williams, a colored lady, was ip on a charge of vagrancy. She was sent to the calaboose for a term of

-George Robinson, Joseph Travis and Mollie Cole, were arrested on a charge of vagrancy. They were each fined ten dolars and costs. Paid. -J. E. Parks and Charlie Williams,

conduct. They were each fined \$5 and costs. Paid. -A drunken fellow made considerable noise during the performance at the Atheneum on Monday night. He was requested to go out doors, and upon re-

of about 2:40, - Pat Hughes, Ostin Kelly, Calvin Moody, John Sullivan and Herr von Bismarck were arrested for indulging in "plain drunks." Hughes and Sullivan were dismissed, and the other three sent to

fusing to do so, was hustled out at the rate

help McHale repair the sidewalks. -Bill Rafferty, a laborer on the Cairo and St. Louis railroad, came to town to spend Christmas, and meeting "some more of the boys, " got drunk, He had no money, and would probably loose his situation fitted up in splendid style. Blankenburg if he was detained by being locked up in

-George Grimes, an engineer, and Jas ning, and, as he forcibly expresses it McBride, a fireman, on the Illinois Central railroad, were arrested by Cain, Sheehan and Martin, for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. They were taken before his honor, and a fine of \$2 and the trimmings assessed against each of them.

-On Saturday night about 9 o'clock, in front of the "Clipper saloon," on Commercial avenue, a fight occurred between Mollie Sherman and her husband, during Fourteenth street. which Mollie plunged the blade of a knife into Sherman's breast, inflicting a severe though not dangerous wound. Mollie was arrested.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

-To have magazines, periodicals, newspapers, or books rebound, try THE BULLE-TIN bindery. We are prepared to turn out work in first-class style at prices as low as can be obtained in St. Louis, Chicago or Cincinnati.

number 53. Ohio levee, where they keep the best fresh oysters, fish and game, and the finest wines, liquors and cigars to be found in the city. Open at all hours, day J. E. PARKS. Ho ! for Hally ! New Store! New Goods

ever brought to Cairo. on Washington avenue, three doors above Tenth street.

Best assortment of

Cooking and Heating Stoves

dectif -Alderman Fitzgerald has just received from Ireland, a lot of the finest Irish whisky. The sample rooms are becoming quite a popular place of resort, and it is fact well known that at no other place in the city is there to be found better whiskies, wines and cigars.

- Mr. H. T. Gerould has procured the services of a bell hanger, who will attend to all calls for work in his line with promptness. Bell hangings repaired, ropes adjusted, etc., in first class order. Leave orders at Mr. Gerould's office, Winter's block, corner Seventh street and Commercial avenue. dec.24-d-tf.

-Great inducements to any one wish ing to buy a first-class piano or organ. E. & W. Buder offer their entire stock in the piano and organ line at the actual cost of the instruments. They are desirous of closing out the stock so that they may use the room for jewelry manufactur

-J. C. Carson, Has a Fine Stock of Holiday Goods, Fancy Goods, Toys, Notions, Commercial Avenue,

Between Ninth and Tenth streets. - Mrs. McGee having a large stock of nillinery goods of fall and winter styles, has determined to sell them off at the lowest prices. Hats from seventy-five cents and upwards, among which may be found fine French fel worth two dollars apiece which will be sold for one dollar and twenty-five cents. All sorts of ribbon trimmings, good velvets, flowers, etc., all of which are offered at extremely low prices. dec10tf

-The Buder Brothers, corner Eighth street and Washington avenue, have received a bran-new lot of the latest-styled breast-pins, ear-rings, finger rings, braclets, watches, clocks, etc., und, invite the public to call and inspect the stock. They are also agents for the Davis' sewing machine, Burdett organs and St. Louis pianos, and offer to the public the best bargains to be obtained at any place in Southern Ill-

-THE BULLETIN printing establishnent is now prepared to receive orders for blank books of all kinds, large and small. Merchants, bankers, officers and business men generally who desire new sets of books, should hand in their orders. Our facilities enable us to compete with the first blank book manufatories in the West, both in quality of work and price. Parties desiring any description of blankgive Mrs. Whitcomb's Syrup to their book work are invited to call and examine children when sick, mortality would be books and prices. less among them. It costs only 25 cents.

ing William Ehlers, boot and shoe maker, as worthy of most liberal patronage. We know whereof we speak when we say his lowest prices. He uses nothing but the best of stock, and he cannot be excelled in the delicate task of making an exact fit. street, between Washington avenue and Poplar street, nearly opposite the court

house, and we will guarantee satisfaction -Jas. Kynaston the popular Fourth ward butcher, at the corner of Nineteenth and Poplar streets, is acknowledged to keep the best meats to be found in the city. On his recent trip to St. Louis, he purchased as fine a lot of young, fat beef cattle as was ever brought to this market, two of which, weighing 3,900 pounds, he is keeping especially for Christmas. He sells the very best of beef at from five to twelve and a half cents per pound. He has mutton, veal, and pork equal to any found in the city, and it will be sold as low as the lowest. Remember the place, corner Nineteenth and Poplar streets. d 15dif were arrested on a charge of disorderly

-On Saturday, the 30th day of December, I will sell at public auction the following property, left on my wharfboat uncalled for :

12 baskets.

3 boxes glass, 1 gas machine, 1 box tinware,

9 boxes merchandise. 1 box glassware,

7 bundles saddle-trees, 1 lot beer kegs,

1 lot felloes. J. M. PHILLIPS.

-It is true that Blankenburg's Excelsior saloon is now one of the institution of the city. All drinkers who like really excellent liquors-whiskies, wines, beer etc .- go to the Excelsior saloon, which i who knows how to keep a saloon, spreads a fine free lunch every morning and eve-'Sweetens the lunch with music." He has employed the services of a first-rate pianist, who makes the grand piane which stands in one end of the speak out in musical tones. Everybody is invited. The best order is maintained and all improper characters suppressed with neatness, cheapness and dispatch. Everybody knows that the Excelsior saloon is at the corner of Washington avenue and

VINCENT'S LOTTERY SALE.

THE TWENTY-SIXTH OF DECEMBER FIXED AS THE DAY ON WHICH THE DRAWING WILL COME OFF.

Determined to dispose of all the tickets in his lottery sale, Mr. F. Vincent has concluded to postpone the drawing until the 26th of December. He is now giving the matter his devoted attention, and is meeting with the most gratifying success on every hand.

There are six prizes, the principal -- Where are you going? To the place prize, as is well-known, being a splendid residence, that was erected at a cost of \$10,-000. The remaining five prizes are as follows:

Lot 34, block 4, 3d addition to the city

Lot 32, block 4, 3d addition to the city of Cairo, valued at \$300. Lot 30, block 4, 34 addition the city of Jairo, valued at \$300.

of Cairo, valued at \$500.

Lot 83, block 4,3d addition to the city of Cairo, valued at \$300. Lot 17, block 45, in the city of Cairo Illinois, valued at \$300. outedif

COMMERCIAL.

Tursday Eventus, Dec. 26, 1871 The general market is in a slack con dition, induced by several causes. Prepara tion for the holidays has had a tendency to make trade, except purely local, some what dull, and as a consequence our reports of sales are meager The lack of tonnage New Orleans prevents activity in Grain and Hay. The demand is good, but ever at the present high rate of freight, it i almost impossible to procure shipping

For this reason, business has been almost at a stand still for the last few days. FLOUR.-Firm and in good demand

Sales were-500 bbls, various grades, on orders,..... \$\$5 50a\$8 56 1600 bbls. various grades. \$5 50a\$9 00

BRAN .- 100 sacks, CORN .- The demand is good at previous quotations, but sales are few for the reasons above stated. Sales were-1 ca , strong White, in sacks, del

" on orders......61e OATS .- Prices are unchanged. Sales were-1 car in bulk on track......

3 cars in sacks, delivered 45ca46 200 sacks, on orders...... 47 HAY .- The market is flat. There is a large stock on the market but none moving, on account of the scarcity of shipping facilities. Sales were-

3 cars, Mixed. del \$22 0 2 "Choice Timothy, del. BUTTER .- Very dull for all sorts and prices tend downward. Sales were-30 pks Choice Nor. Roll 28e@c25

24c

10 " Common....... 10e@15c EGGS .- Easier. The demand is good. Quotations unchanged. Sales were-POULTRY.-The market is over stocked and very dull. Sales were 7 coops live Chickens \$2 00a2 50 71 lbs

6 "

MEAL .- Sales were-100 bbls Steam Dried on orders.......\$3 13 POTATOES .-- Very little doing. Sales 58 bbls Choice Peach Blows...... \$3.50

7 doz

" Geese.....\$6 50

APPLES .- Prices have an upward tenlency. Sales were-18 bbls. repacked, on orders......\$5.00 PROVISIONS .- We quote-1 tierce

ugar cured Hams, 12c, 2000 lbs. Clear sides

dry salt. 7c. 10 dressed Hogs, 4 casc. FRUIT.-10 bbls. oranges, \$15 50 SUNDRIES .- 200 bbls. Lime, del. THE HOLIDAY

FINE STOCK OF EVERY VARIETY OF HOL-

1DAY GOODS. Mr. J. C. Carson. Commercial-av., between Ninth and Tenth streets has received his stock of holiday goods; and when we say that it is one of the largest and best selected ever brought to the city. we are not saying too much. He has everything that should be kept in a first-class toy or fancy goods store. In the way of work boxes, he has them of every shape and form, ranging in price from fifty cents upwards; and of glove and handkerchief boxes, he has them of every style, in endless quantity, and at all prices; pictures, [of the handsomest designs, and picture frames of all sizes and shapes at prices within the reach of all. Knives, forks, spoons and plated ware are among the attractions of Mr. Carson's stock. He has dolls of every size, from the most diminutive to that of a year old child in size in endless variety, and at all prices; vaces, music covers, and in fact, anything and everything mentionable are to be found there. Mr. C. is determined not be undersold by any other dealer in the city, and has consequently marked his goods down to the lowest living prices. He respectfully asks a comparison of goods and prices. Give him a call. declotf

TEN DOLLARS REWARD .- Lost at the fire on Saturday night the 16th, one Day Book and one Sales Book. I will pay ter dollars for both, or five dollars for either of said tooks if left at Mr. C. Hanny's tore.

containing 7 rooms, cistern and out houses complete. Apply to W. W. THORNTON.

The river has risen about one foot since Sunday; on that day it was 10 inches lower than it has been any time this year At Cincinnati the river was stationary yesterday, with 7 feet two inches in th channel. At New Albany it is risin slowly. The Monongahela is reported t have risen several inches. At Evans vil the river continues falling. The Missippi has probably risen a few inches b that twelve hundred-mile changel re mains closed. If it is open why don' some of the boats that have been in bound for some days make their appearance? The McDonald reported but feet 10 inches in the channel. The ice

below Cairo.

WEATHER AND BUSINESS The weather was clear and pleasant during the greater part of yesterday, I oward evening the sky was covered

rain. Business continues splendid. Freights are plenty and there is plenty of tonnage for it.

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS. It was reported yesterday that the Kate Kearney bound from this port to New Orleans with a good load of miscellaneous freight had struck a snag night before last at Island 82, tearing a large hole in her hull causing her to sunk in 12 feet water. We were unable to learn any parti-

After a week of trouble the McDonald arrived from St. Louis. She had to lay up at Grand Tower several days on account of the ice. She reported the river as being in a deplorable condition.

Capt. J. Lusk well known in this city is confined to his room in St. Louis by a severe spell of sickness. We hope soon to hear of his being convalescent. The Kate Kinney went up to Mound

when she comes off she will return here and load for New Orleans. The Quickstep is on the docks at Paducan having her hull corked. She has had

The Arkansas Belle received a load for Memphis and left Christmas evening. She had to withdraw from the Evansville trade on account of the scarcity of water. The John Lumsden has again entered

the Evansville trale, in place of the

The Belle Memphis has laid up. Capt. Crane, Billy Blanker and the rest of the rew have gone home.

placed in position. The John Kyle cleared for New Orleans

The machinery of the Virginia will be sold to-morrow at auction.

Go to the Atheneum To-night Last Night of The Gilbert Sisters dramatic troupe.

STEAMBOAT BUTCHER,

se Special attention raid to orders from s . cam

B. S. HARRELL. dec23-3t. [Sun copy 3 times.] FOR SALE.-A cottage on 12th street RIVER NEWS. PORT LIST. ARRIVED AND DEPARTED. Where from. Where to Mary McDonald, St. Louis. Memphis St. Joseph. Arkansas Belle, .Memphis ... BIVERS AND THEIR CONDITIONS.

reported gorged at Liberty island. When is the "Ice King?" There is no gorg

dark clouds, which had the appearance

culars.

City to be taken out on the ways. She will have a few repairs put on her hull;

all the cakum torn out of the seams by snagging on the sand bars.

Quickstep, during the low water. The Bee returned from Memphis, with part of the tow of the Crescent City. She caves to-day with a tow for New Orleans. The P. W. Strader and Oceanus are loading for New Orleans.

The Mallie Ragon has her new chimnies

ast night with a good trip of freight and people.

It was reported by a St. Louis contemorary that the T. F. Eckert would commence removing Baconrock yesterday. The report was incorrect. Capt. Dugan is ready to remove it if he can get enough money to satisfy him doing so.

PHIL HOWARD,

City National Bank Building.